

101091.1  
PATENT

POCKET 13361PCTUS

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: GILES, *et al.*      Examiner: To be assigned  
 Serial No.: 10/519,224      Group Art Unit: To be assigned  
 Filed: December 22, 2004  
 For: Methods and Compositions for Analyzing Compromised Samples Using  
 Single Nucleotide Polymorphism Panels

Customer No.: 23719

Kalow & Springut LLP  
 488 Madison Avenue, 19th Floor  
 New York, New York 10022

October 12, 2005

Mail Stop PCT  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER  
 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE  
 & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

This is a reply in response to the Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office dated July 19, 2005. The period set to reply to the Notice of Missing Requirements expired on September 19, 2005. Applicants hereby request a petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and enclose the requisite fee under 37 CFR 1.492(e) in the form of a check.. Accordingly, the period set to reply to the Notice of Missing Requirements expires on October 19, 2005, and therefore this reply is timely filed. Enclosed herewith are the following:

**Certificate of Mailing Under 37 C.F.R. 1.8**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on the date shown below with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Mark Daly  
 (Signature)

Mark Daly  
 (Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate)

October 12, 2005  
 (Date)

Applicant: GILES *et al.*  
Serial No.: 10/519,224  
Filed: December 22, 2004  
Reply to Notification of Missing Requirements  
October 12, 2005  
Page 2 of 2

1. Copy of Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office;
2. A declaration and power of attorney for the above-identified application duly executed by the inventors;
3. Check in the total amount of \$250.00 covering:
  - i) 130.00 for the surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) payable as a large entity; and,
  - ii) The \$120 fee under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time payable as a large entity.

If there are any questions or comments relating to this request, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact Applicant's attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

If any additional fees are due, or an overpayment has been made, please charge, or credit, our Deposit Account No. 11-0171 for such sum.

10/20/2005 ATRAN1 00000114 10519224  
01 FC:1617 130.00 OP

10/20/2005 ATRAN1 00000114 10519224  
02 FC:1251 120.00 OP

Respectfully submitted,



\_\_\_\_\_  
Tor Smeland  
Registration No.: 43,131  
Attorney for Applicant

Kalow & Springut LLP  
(212) 813-1600



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

15  
 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/519,224	Robert Giles	13361 PCT US
		INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.
		PCT/US03/20150
IA. FILING DATE		PRIORITY DATE
06/26/2003		06/28/2002

23719  
 KALOW & SPRINGUT LLP  
 488 MADISON AVENUE  
 19TH FLOOR  
 NEW YORK, NY 10022

CONFIRMATION NO. 9719  
 371 FORMALITIES LETTER



\*OC000000016534444\*

Date Mailed: 07/19/2005

**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/22/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/22/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/22/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 12/22/2004

K&S PATENT DEPT.	
ENTERED	7/22
ACTION	
DUE	9/17
MO	
INITIAL	

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.*

CHARITTA A BURT

---

Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 207

**PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY**

---

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/519,224	PCT/US03/20150	13361 PCT US

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)